Liber F. ford Surveyor General of us our heirs and assignes, To have and to hold enjoy and exercise the foresaid Office to the fforesaid John Langford by himself or his Sufficient Deputy or p. 151 Deputies during his firal life Together with all vayles ffees regards advantages profits and allowances whatsoever to the Said Office belonging and appertaining as fully and intirely and in as ample manner & forme as any other of our Surveyors ever heretofore had held or enjoyed the Same or any Surveyor of the Province of Virginea ever had held or enjoyed the Said place and Office of Surveyor Generall in the Said Province of Virginea Commanding all to and by these presents, firmly enjoyning All and Singular Sherriffs and Other our Officers Ministers and all other people within our Said Province of Maryland that they be Obedient assistant and aiding to the Said John Langford and his Deputy or Deputies in the Execution of the foresaid Office from time to time as they Shall be thereunto required, and as becometh them Given at St Maries this 24th March 1641.

Signed Leonard Calvert locus + Sigilli

In House of Lords.

Historical M. S. Com. Report V 1642. March 26.

Petition of William Arundell Esq. That a writ ne exeat p. 14 regno may be granted against Lord Baltimore who is intending to depart the Kingdom and go into Maryland where he hath a Plantation (see Lords Journal IV. 671.)

[Commission to Robert Evelin.]

Liber F. Cecilius &c To our Trusty Robert Evelin Greeting Whereas p. 153 it is necessary at this present to put the English liveing at Piscatoway in a posture of defence agt the Indians, and to comitt the care and charge thereof unto Some able and discreet person We relying much upon your Skill and courage, Doe hereby Constitute appoint and authorise you the Said Robert Evelin to take the charge and Command of all or any the English in or near abt Pascatoway, and to leavie train and Muster them upon all occasions, to punish and Correct delinquents according to y' discretion and the discipline of war, to make war, resist, or offend any enemies whatsoever, that Shall assault you or them, and to pursue them by Sea or Land, and by any means you may to take and vanquish them, and either to Save or kill them at your pleasure by the Law of war, and to doe all and every other thing, which unto the charge and Office of a Captain of an Army belongeth or hath accustomed to belong, And We hereby require all the Said English to be Obedient unto you,